

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of	)	<b>Mail Stop AMENDMENT</b>
Heinz Bannasch et al.	)	
Application No.: 10/574,532	)	Group Art Unit: 3641
Filed: December 1, 2006	)	Examiner: Daniel J. Troy
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR	)	Confirmation No.: 4115
PROTECTING SHIPS AGAINST	)	
TERMINAL HOMING PHASE-	)	
GUIDED MISSILES	)	

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 7, 2010, please amend the  
above-identified application as follows: